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## **Xona Resort Suites Partners with Golf Experiences, LLC**

**PGA TOUR Experiences and TPC Scottsdale, Home of the PGA TOUR's FBR Open, Offer**

### **Xona Resort Suites' Guests an Unforgettable Golfing Excursion**

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (December 18, 2008) – Xona Resort Suites, Scottsdale's premier all-suite property, is pleased to announce its partnership with Golf Experiences, which operates PGA TOUR Experiences under license from the PGA TOUR slated to begin in January 2009. The partnership will provide Xona Resort Suites' guests with the ultimate Scottsdale golf experience.

"We're thrilled to partner with Golf Experiences and offer our guests this exciting opportunity to play and train at the world renowned TPC Scottsdale golf course," said Brett Sundstrom, general manager of Xona Resort Suites. "With our dedicated staff of Xona Golf Experts, we want to help our guests have the most memorable and enjoyable golfing excursion possible, and through our partnership with Golf Experiences, our guests will enjoy an opportunity of a lifetime."

Xona Resort Suites' partnership with Golf Experiences will provide guests with an opportunity to get a true insiders perspective of the PGA TOUR golfing scene. The experience includes time at TOUR Academy TPC Scottsdale and their exceptional instruction facility located in the heart of the Sonoran Desert, adjacent to 36 holes of world-class golf. The state-of-the-art game improvement facility features a private practice area, a putting and chipping green, practice bunkers and the finest diagnostic technologies. The facility also includes a comprehensive club fitting program.

The TOUR Academy TPC Scottsdale has been designed with a variety of enhancements to create the perfect environment for improving guests' golf game while incorporating the natural beauty of the surrounding desert, reflecting the unique local flavor of Scottsdale's extraordinary dining, shopping and world-class accommodations.

The grass practice tees and greens are manicured to PGA TOUR tournament standards allowing guests to develop new skills under ideal conditions. The comprehensive short game training facility is perfect for fine tuning every type of golf shot that a golfer might encounter on

any course. The instructors will assist guests in elevating their skills while taking scores to new lows.

In addition to the Golf Experiences, Xona Resort Suites' team of Golf Experts is on hand to assist guests in planning any golfing excursions. Bringing more than 20 years of Scottsdale golf expertise to the resort, this team of seasoned professionals offers insider knowledge of the region's finest fairways and greens, and can arrange golf outings tailored to each guest's playing level and preferences -- from selecting the best Xona suite type for a group to booking multiple tee times, organizing direct billing with each course, and coordinating transportation.

### **About Xona Resort Suites**

Nestled in the beauty of Scottsdale, Xona Resort Suites enjoys an ideal location for both leisure and business travelers – in the heart of the rapidly growing North Scottsdale area, close to world-class shopping, and steps from some of the nation's most sought after golf courses. Xona Resort Suites offers guests a tranquil escape with unprecedented flexibility in accommodations, full-service amenities and seamless access to golf and spas. Taking advantage of the 300-plus days of sunshine, guests can explore the beauty of the Sonoran desert, enjoy one of four sparkling pools or tee off at one of 40 championship courses around the Valley, and end the day in an upscale suite that provides all the comforts of home. Xona Resort Suites is located at 7677 East Princess Boulevard in Scottsdale. For more information or to book reservations please visit [www.xonaresort.com](http://www.xonaresort.com) or call (888) 222-1059.

### **About Golf Experiences**

Golf Experiences, LLC operates PGA TOUR Experiences under a long-term license agreement with the PGA TOUR and is your premier source for TOUR quality golf vacations, TOUR Academy instructional centers, corporate events, and more. Experience what it's like to play the best courses, stay at the best places, get the best training, walk the fairways with your own personal caddie, and see world-class golf at PGA TOUR events.

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